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## A DEADLOCK IN THE FIGHTING

### RESIGNS FROM CONGRESS

Representative Augustus P. Gardner of Massachusetts Will Enlist in the Army

### DISCUSSION HELD BEHIND CLOSED DOORS

So As Not to Disclose Secrets of Vital Importance to the Country.

(By Associated Press) Washington, May 16.—When the senate today took up the \$3,300,000,000 war budget, the discussion was held behind closed doors as many senators declared that the discussion would disclose secrets of vital importance to the military of the country. The bill was passed by the house in open session.

### BIG DEMAND FOR FACE POWDER

(By Associated Press) London, May 16.—There is a boom here just now in face powder made from rice because of the food controller's order confining the use of rice and rice flour to food in future.

(By Associated Press) Washington, May 16.—Representative Augustus Peabody Gardner of Massachusetts has resigned from congress to enlist in the army. Mr. Gardner has been one of the most active leaders in urging military preparedness since his entrance into congress. He was a member of the house ways and means committee.

Mr. Gardner who served in the Spanish-American war has been called as a member of the officers reserve corps and although exempt as a member of congress from duty, he has accepted the call. He is the first member of either house to enter the government military service in the present war.

### FUND FOR REFUGEES

(By Associated Press) London, May 16.—Funds raised in the United States have been put at the disposal of the general committee of Russian societies in London, for the purpose of repatriating refugees desiring to return to Russia.

### EXECUTIVE BOARD MEET

The executive committee of the New Hampshire Druggists' Association met at Manchester Tues. Goodwin E. Phillips of this city attended.

### Heavy Attacks by British and French Armies Appear to be Without Effect—Economic Crisis in Germany as Acute as Ever.

### NO STRIKE OF THE FREIGHT HANDLERS

On Any Part of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad.

(By Associated Press) New Haven, Conn., May 16.—According to information obtained from officers of the New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad company this noon, there will be no strike of the freight handlers on any part of the system. No further statement regarding the settlement was issued. It is understood that General Manager Barde of the company has adjusted the situation on the lines of the conciliatory board.

### OWNERS OF PROPERTY FINED

(By Associated Press) London, May 16.—Fines of 20, 30, and 50 pounds were inflicted on builders and owners of some property in one of the suburbs for the lavish use of labor and material in decorating a house. The proceedings were taken by the Ministry of Munitions under the Defense of the Realm act.

(By Associated Press.) The complete demoralization of the Russian armies and the consequent withdrawal of the German forces opposing them are having their effect in France. Heavy reinforcements which von Hindenburg has been able to bring to his lines and to throw against the allied armies in furious attacks have caused a deadlock in the fighting against which the heavy attacks by the British and French armies appear to be without effect.

### VIOLENT BATTLE IS RAGING

On the French Front, But French Maintain All Positions.

(By Associated Press) Paris, May 16.—A violent battle is raging at Moulin de Laffaux on the French front where the Germans attacked the line after an all-night bombardment with artillery. The official statement from the war office says that the French have maintained all their positions. The attack was on a front of four kilometres.

### RECOVERED LOST GROUND

(By Associated Press) London, May 16.—The British forces have recovered most of the ground recently lost to the Germans near Bullecourt, and have established new posts west of the village, the war office announced on information received from Reuter's correspondent at British headquarters.

### TWO INJURED BY A FALL FROM FLYING BOAT

(By Associated Press) Newport News, Va., May 15.—Ted Hequeubourg, an instructor, and Lawrence Curtis of Boston, a student, were both severely injured in a fall from a flying boat which dropped 50 to 75 feet at the Atlantic coast aviation

### ATTENTION DEMOCRATS

Stand by the President

Every Democrat should attend the meeting at Headquarters on Pleasant Street (over W. E. Marvin's office), tonight, Wednesday, at 7.30.

Samuel Emery, Secretary Headquarters Committee.

not too late. On the other hand the political and economic crisis in Germany is as acute as ever. Probably for the first time in history, revolution and the possible formation of the German Republic was openly talked about in the Reichstag. Apparently the authorities do not dare to challenge the audacity of the radicals in their statements. Apparently the only important news from the war region comes from the Isonzo line where the Italians and Austrians are battling fiercely, according to the official reports. The official statements from the war offices at Vienna and Rome however, are diametrically opposed as to the initial results.

camp stationed here. Curtis was taking a lesson in flying for the army under instructor Hequeubourg, when the accident occurred. Officers stated that the accident was caused by an attempt at banking too sharply.

### SIX MEN KILLED BY EXPLOSION

(By Associated Press) Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., May 16.—Six men were killed and several seriously injured in an explosion which occurred today at the end of the Port Bend bridge. It is believed that dynamite caused the explosion. Most of the dead and injured are laborers. Soldiers stationed on patrol duty near the bridge have been posted about the area which is covered by the explosion and military investigation has been started.

### GERMAN GIRL TAKES PLACE OF HER FIANCE

(By Associated Press) Geneva, May 16.—A German girl of wealthy parentage, living at Constant, whose fiance was killed in France, has taken his place in the aviation corps. She is 21 years old and has the rank of lieutenant. She dresses like an officer and according to reports from Constant has brought down three enemy machines.

### ADMITS LOSS OF ZEPPELIN

(By Associated Press) Amsterdam, May 16.—The loss of the German Zeppelin L-22 is officially admitted in a statement by the German admiralty which says "has been missing since May 14," and further adds, "British office reports destruction of the airship by English fleet in North Sea."

Forecast for Portsmouth and Vicinity—Partly cloudy tonight and Thursday with rising temperature on the mainland. Moderate westerly winds, becoming variable.

Sun Rises..... 4.22  
Sun Sets..... 6.59  
Length of Day..... 14.37  
High Tide..... 6.56 am, 7.29 pm  
Moon Rises..... 1.35 am  
Light Automobile Lamps at..... 7.29 pm

The State Foresters enjoyed their stay in this city.

### WAR LOAN TO RUSSIA

Total Amount Advanced to the Allies to Date is \$625,000,000

(By Associated Press) Washington, May 16.—The United States government today made its first loan to Russia of \$100,000,000, bringing the total amount advanced to the Allies to date up to \$625,000,000.

### TO EXTEND FOREIGN TRADE

(By Associated Press) London, May 16.—The British trade bank which has now received its charter from King George, will be called the British Trade Corporation. It is expected that business men in the country will be able to extend their foreign trade by means of credit and other assistance from this institution, such as is not granted by the established British banks and they will be able to compete on more equitable terms with German competitors who have been financed directly or indirectly by their government in practically all trade operations.

### WOMEN AS TAXICAB DRIVERS

(By Associated Press) Edinburgh, Scotland, May 16.—The Edinburgh municipal authorities have decided, owing to the scarcity of male labor, to license women as taxicab drivers. The decision is bitterly resented by the taxicab men, who threaten to strike.

### MINISTER HAS RESIGNED

Several Changes Made in the Cabinet of the Provisional Government of Russia.

(By Associated Press) Petrograd, via London, May 16.—Paul N. Milukoff, Minister of Foreign Affairs has resigned his office and also as a member of the cabinet of the Provisional government. M. Tereschtenko, Minister of Finance, has been appointed as the foreign minister. A. F. Kerenski, present minister of justice, has been named minister of war and marine.

### GERMAN HAS MADE COMPLETE STATEMENT

(By Associated Press) New York, May 16.—Captain Frank Hinkel of the German army, who with six others are on trial charged with conspiring to injure the munitions plants of this country, has made a complete statement of his transactions to the government voluntarily and without bargain, it was announced by counsel today. This declaration came during the cross examination of David Lamm, a defendant, by the government counsel.



### Evern Line is Complete Every Price is Low

and every quality is the best possible at the price in the underwear section. We anticipated the higher prices of today and long ago bought heavily in all lines of ladies' and children's summer wear with the result that today our prices are practically the same as last season.

LADIES' LOW NECK SWISS RIBBED VESTS ..... 12½c, 25c, 50c each  
CHILDREN'S SUMMER VESTS in all sizes ..... 12½c, 25c each  
THE GENUINE E. Z. WAISTS for Boys and Girls ..... 29c each  
LADIES' JERSEY UNION SUITS in all combinations—  
Regular sizes, 50c; Extra sizes, 59c  
LACE TRIMMED UNION SUITS FOR LADIES ..... 25c each  
SWISS RIBBED JERSEY VESTS IN PINK Lisle ..... 59c each

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In Muslins, Voiles, Crepe de chine and Georgette Crepe

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Middy Blouses, Middy Suits and Smocks for children, misses and women..... \$1.00 to \$1.98

Special—Camp Fire Girls' Suits, made from khaki cloth, trimmed with red; sizes 12 to 20 years—Blouse, \$1.98; Skirt..... \$1.98

Misses' White Princess Slips, val lace trimmed, sizes 14 to 16 years ..... \$1.19

Misses' White Petticoats, lace or hamburg trimmed for ..... \$1.00

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### COLONIAL THEATRE

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Tonight—Complete Change of Program.

**Majestic Musical Comedy Co.**

Featuring TOM CARROLL and a Bewitching Bery of Beautiful Belles.  
FLORENCE LA BADIE in "HER NEW YORK"

## TRAINING EX-SOLDIERS TO BECOME SMALL FARMERS

(By Associated Press.)  
London, May 16.—The experiment of placing ex-soldiers on the land and training them as small farmers is taking definite shape, and in time the first land settlements, comprising 6,000 acres, will be occupied by 240 men. More estates will be acquired if the results of the experiment warrant an extension of the movement.  
At present, sixty cottages are being erected at the Crown Colony, Partington, about fifteen miles from Hull, containing 2,363 acres. At the central farm of about 250 acres the men who propose to settle on the land will be employed under the supervision of the director, and when they have obtained the necessary experience and saved a little capital, they will be placed on holdings, of which there will be sixty.

## MASONS ELECT NEW OFFICERS

Concord, May 15.—Officers were elected at the annual meeting yesterday of the Masonic bodies of the state in Concord. General Grand High Priest George E. Condon of the general grand chapter of the United States was the installing officer. The officers elected by the Grand Royal Arch Chapter of New Hampshire were as follows:  
E. Frank Boomer of Dover, M. E. grand high priest.  
Albert R. Jenkins, Portsmouth, R. E. deputy grand high priest.  
Arthur E. Stewart, Concord, R. E. grand king.  
Bert L. Stebbins, Claremont, R. E. grand scribe.  
John P. Webster, P. G. H. P., Concord, R. E. grand treasurer.  
Harry M. Cheney, P. G. H. P., Concord, R. E. grand secretary.  
William D. Chandler, Concord, R. E. grand captain of the host.  
Rev. Jesse M. Durrell, Tilton, E. grand chaplain.  
Rev. Joseph B. Seward, Keene, E. grand chaplain.  
Charles L. Wentworth, Rochester, E. grand principal solumner.  
Halbert N. Bond, Manchester, E. grand royal arch captain.  
Albion E. Hayes, Exeter, E. grand master of the third veil.  
Eugene P. Hadley, Lakeport, E. grand master of the second veil.  
Thomas P. Clifford, Franklin, E. grand master of the first veil.  
Herbert E. Richardson, Manchester, E. grand lecturer.  
Henry L. Sanderson, Nashua, E. grand steward.  
James Littlefield, Dover, E. grand sentinel.  
Frank L. Sanders, Concord, E. grand sentinel.  
An interesting incident of the election of the officers of the grand council of the Royal and Select Masters of the state was the presentation of a jewel to the retiring grand master Abram J. Garrison of Manchester by Rev. Jesse M. Durrell of Tilton. The officers elected by the grand council follow:  
William W. Oliver, Lebanon, M. L.

be sixty. In time the central farm will disappear.  
The plan does not make provision for disbandment as such. The root principle is to determine by experiment how far the recommendations of the committee which drafted the plan can be made a success. It is hoped, however, that a certain number of disbandment will be among the settlers. After the cottages, the farm buildings will be erected, and the Young Men's Christian Association has undertaken to put up a recreation hut.  
The Board of Agriculture will obtain possession of land at Holbeach for their second colony in October. In addition to a colony to be established in the southern or western counties of England and one in Wales, a prominent agriculturist has made a gift of over a thousand acres in Herefordshire.

grand master.  
Charles G. Adams, Claremont, R. E. grand principal conductor of the work.  
Edward H. Currier, P. G. M., Manchester, R. E. grand treasurer.  
Harry M. Cheney, P. G. M., Concord, R. E. grand recorder.  
William D. Chandler, Concord, R. E. grand captain of the guard.  
E. Frank Boomer, Dover, R. E. grand conductor of the council.  
Rev. Jesse M. Durrell, Tilton, R. E. grand chaplain.  
Rev. Jesse G. MacMurphy, Berry Village, R. E. grand chaplain.  
George P. Hood, Nashua, R. E. grand marshal.  
Albion E. Hayes, Exeter, R. E. grand steward.  
Frank L. Sanders, Concord, R. E. grand sentinel.

## KITTERY

Kittery, May 16.—The funeral of Mrs. Elizabeth Spiney was held at the Second Christian church on Tuesday afternoon, at 2 o'clock, Rev. Carl L. Nichols officiating. Albert L. Sprague sang "I Shall Know Him," and "Shall We Meet Beyond the River." Interment took place in the family lot at Orchard Grove cemetery in charge of J. Verne Wood.  
The Ladies' Social Circle will meet on Thursday afternoon with Mrs. R. Philbrick of Whipple road.  
Mr. and Mrs. John Minichau of Malden, Mrs. Jennie Trauman of Portsmouth, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Spiney of Lynn, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Kimball of Newmarket, and Mrs. Besse Woodward were among the relatives in town on Tuesday to attend the funeral of Mrs. Elizabeth Spiney.  
John Hultman of Newington was a visitor in town on Tuesday.  
Frank E. Donnell of Central street is improving from his illness.  
A social will be held this evening at the Christian church to which everyone is invited, and especially any strangers in town, and at the navy yard. Mr. James H. Philbrick will speak on "Kittery and the Great War" and Mr. Weingold, U. S. M. C., will

also speak. Those providing refreshments are asked to be liberal in their donations. A hearty welcome will be extended to all.  
The Riverside Reading Club will meet on Friday afternoon with Mrs. Ulysses G. Swift of Love lane.  
Miss May Moody will read at the entertainment at Elliot on Friday evening to be given by the Elliot Grange.  
Naval Lodge of Masons will meet tonight at Odd Fellows hall.  
Mrs. W. G. Meloon of New Castle was the guest on Tuesday of her sister, Mrs. James Plaisted of Whipple road.  
Nelson Webber of Manchester was the recent guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Webber of Stimson street.  
A business meeting and social of Crystal Chapter, Epworth League, will be held on Tuesday evening at the home of Rev. and Mrs. William Forgrave on Otis avenue.  
Mrs. George Newson and daughter, Miss Louise Newson, of the Intervene, have been recent visitors in Boston and vicinity.  
Whipple Lodge, I. O. O. T., will meet tonight at Grange hall.  
Mrs. Charles Billings of Kittery Point was a visitor in this part of the town on Tuesday afternoon.  
Miss O. E. Libby of New York is passing a few days at her summer home at the Intervene.  
Charles Burnham of West Searboro, Me., has been the recent guest of relatives in town.  
Harold Goodridge of Reading, Mass., was a visitor in town on Tuesday.  
Mrs. Harry Cook of North Kittery was a recent visitor in Dover.  
Master Arthur Bowker is ill at his home on Stimson street.  
Bertram F. Tilton of Portsmouth has purchased the Libby estate at the Intervene.  
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At Sugrue's.  
Ice cream in bridges, to carry out.

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## WOMEN STREET CLEANERS

(By Associated Press.)  
London, May 16.—The trial squad of 300 women street cleaners who have been on duty in London for the past two months has done its duty creditably, according to an official report, and it is proposed to

## ADOPT NEW NICKNAME

(By Associated Press.)  
London, May 16.—With the Canadian troops, the nickname "Heheys" has almost replaced "Boche" as a name for the enemy. Frequently used alternatives are "Pritz," "Hun," and "Hon-ey."

The Women's Section of the Navy League will for the present send all its work to the Portsmouth yard for the Naval Reservists on the boats which are to go into commission here.

## BUSINESS AGENT ELECTED BY THE PLUMBERS UNION

PLUMBERS, STEAM FITTERS AND HELPERS LOCAL NAMES EXECUTIVE BOARD OF FIVE MEN.

At the regular meeting of Plumbers, Steam Fitters and Steam Fitters Helpers, Local 454, A. F. of L., Paul Howard was elected as the business agent of the union to serve for one year. There was a good attendance at the meeting and five members were elected to serve on the executive committee as follows:  
For three years—M. L. Brewster, George A. Cate.  
For two years—Wallace Manson, Charles Regardt.  
For one year—John A. Miller.

## KITTERY POINT

Kittery Point, May 16.—The Rockingham Association of Free Baptist churches met today at the Free Baptist church at this place, Rev. E. W. Cummings, pastor, Rev. A. C. Keith, president. Following is the program:  
Forenoon  
10:30—Opening praise service.  
10:50—Welcome, Pastor Cummings.  
11:00—Business letters, etc.  
12:20—Annual communion sermon, Rev. J. M. Remick.  
(Lord's Supper following.)  
12:00—Dinner hour.  
Afternoon Program  
1:30—Praise service, Rev. Eugene Dolloff.  
2:00—Woman's missionary meeting. Opening, business reports, etc.  
Paper—Past, Present and Future of Rockingham Woman's Missionary Society, Miss Laura Demeritte.  
3:00—The Future of the Rockingham Association—Rev. A. E. Kenyon and Rev. W. P. Stanley.  
3:20—Some Leaders I Have Known in the Rockingham Association, Rev. E. W. Cummings.  
3:30, Sermon, Rev. F. M. Baker.  
Closing service, Rev. A. C. Keith.  
5:30, Supper hour.  
Evening Program  
7:00, Devotional service.  
7:30, Address.  
Closing consecration service conducted by the pastor.  
Mrs. Carrie Getchell returned to her home in Dover today after visiting her son, Frank Getchell and Mrs. Getchell for a week.  
Miss Emma Spencer of the Baptist parsonage is entertaining friends from out of town for a few days.  
Melvin Blake is having a brief vacation from his duties at the navy yard.  
Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Harrow and young son of East Boston are visiting the former's sister, Mrs. Herbert E. Tobey.  
Miss Emma Adams of Crockett's Neck Road was the guest of friends in Portsmouth on Tuesday.  
Miss Clara Gray is passing today with friends in Elliot.  
Charles Redell has purchased an automobile.  
Mr. and Mrs. Myron M. Walker of St. Albans, Vt., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Seegar on Crockett's Neck road for a short visit, previous to moving their household goods to Ash Grove which they have recently purchased from Mrs. Louis Rice.  
Leon Coffin has purchased a motorcycle.  
Mr. and Mrs. William Wheeler of Kittery have arrived at the George The Ladies' Social Circle of the "Generational church" met at the community house on Tuesday afternoon. Refreshments were served by the hostess, Mrs. Edward Standish.

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## RECRUITING STATION AT UNIVERSAL CITY.

U. S. Army Establishes Only Station in Motion Picture Studio.

The only United States army recruiting station located in a motion picture studio was this week established at Universal City as a branch of the Los Angeles, California, recruiting station. Universal City is the only city in the world built solely to produce motion pictures.

Sergeant L. E. Lee and an assistant came to the studios this week with application blanks and established a station under the giant pepper trees adjoining the administration building.

The stars and stripes, and a huge banner with the inscription "Men Wanted for the United States Army" attracted directors, actors and other employees of the studios. Many recruits were signed up among the 6000 actor inhabitants of this great city and the army representatives were pleased with the type of men who volunteered their services. Already a number of the Universalites are members of the Hollywood company of Coast Artillery and a number of the actresses are active Red Cross workers. Many of the men have already seen service in either the army or the navy and there are at least two retired army officers actively engaged at the studio. They are Col. J. E. Brady, of the scenario department, and Captain Sterrel Ford, of the employment bureau. The actors include a number of cowboys, experts with rifle and accustomed to out-of-door work. They are excellent material for the army.

COTTAGE CHEESE WILL DO THE TRICK.

Washington, May 15.—Economy hint, Eat 12 cents worth of cottage cheese and you'll get more protein than in con-

tained in a pound and a half of pork chops, says the United States department of agriculture today. A pound of such cheese daily, the department declares, will supply all the protein required by an ordinary man working hard.

## MANY PERSONS ENGAGED IN COAL MINING

(By Associated Press.)  
London, May 16.—Official figures show that there are now 1,001,300 persons employed in coal mining in Great Britain.

## ARMY AVIATOR KILLED IN FALL

(By Associated Press.)

El Paso, May 15.—Lieutenant Melchior Roberts, U. S. A., attached to the army aviation corps, was killed in a fall from his machine while making a flight at Columbus, N. M. It was announced by telegraph to the department headquarters this afternoon. Captain James L. Duhamel, who was a passenger with the dead aviator, was injured by the fall but will recover, his physicians announced.

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Bellingham St., Portsmouth, N. H.,  
Telephone 1342.

The Portsmouth Branch of the Woman's Section of the Navy League, has sent to Mrs. W. B. Rush, the distributing agent of the Navy League for the 1st district, reaching from Eastport, Me., to Chatham Lights, three large boxes of knitted garments for use on the ships and patrol boats fitting out at the Charleston navy yard.

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If your stomach is strong, your liver active, and bowels regular, take care to keep them so. These organs are important to your health. Keep them in order with  
**Beecham's Pills**  
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Directions of Special Value to Women are with Every Box.

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**Chocolate, Grapenut, Strawberry, fresh fruit, and Vanilla**  
By the Quart, Pints or Half Pints.  
Try any of the different kinds in one of our sweetened cones for five cents.  
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At no time in many years has the importance and the necessity of the home garden been so great as this year. One-half of your living expenses should come out of your own lot. We have the necessary things for successful gardening.  
Rakes, 25c to 75c; Trowels, 10c to 25c; Spading Forks, \$1 and \$1.50; Wheelbarrows; Steel Spades, 90c, \$1.00; Rubber Hose; Wood Lawn Rakes, 60c; Lawn Mowers, Poultry Netting, Grass Hooks.  
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Everything you require for Spring repair work around your house. Prompt delivery. Just telephone 74.  
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No coal-hod or ash-pan drudgery. You never have to sweep up after cooking on the New Perfection. Cooks fast, or slow as you like, without soot or ashes. It's the Long Blue Chimney that does it. Visible flame that stays "put."  
In use in more than 2,500,000 homes. Ask your dealer for booklet. Inquire, too, about the New Perfection Kerosene Water Heater. It gives abundant hot water for laundry or bath at low cost.  
For best results use SOCONY Kerosene.  
**STANDARD OIL COMPANY of NEW YORK**  
PRINCIPAL OFFICES: NEW YORK ALBANY BUFFALO BOSTON  
**NEW PERFECTION OIL COOK STOVES AND OVENS**



## FORESTERS CLOSE CONVENTION WITH BANQUET AND SPEECHES

The seventeenth biennial convention of the New Hampshire chapter of Foresters of America ended in a blaze of glory on Tuesday evening when the one hundred or more delegates, representing every Court in the state, were the guests of Court Rockingham of this city at a banquet held in Freeman's Annex Hall. The meeting banquet was made interesting by several addresses the speakers including Mayor Ladd of Portsmouth, Frederick M. Sise, president of the Chamber of Commerce, Supreme Secretary T. M. Donnelly, Past Chief Ranger J. J. Doyle, Supreme Recording Secretary W. J. Kennedy, and Grand Chief Ranger J. C. Mandelson. Robert Capstick of Portsmouth officiated as toastmaster.

The menu:

Roast Turkey, Cranberry Sauce	Mashed Potatoes	Green Peas	Cold Boiled Ham	Cold Tongue
Butter	Baked Macaroni and Cheese	Celery	Lobster Salad	

Frozen Pudding, Vanilla Cream  
Orange Sherbet  
Assorted Cakes  
Coffee  
Cigars

The convention opened with the morning session at 10.00 o'clock in Knights of Labor Hall, Franklin Block, with more than 100 delegates present. The meeting opened with an address of welcome by Mayor Samuel T. Ladd after which the convention went into a business session during which the reports of the state officers and several committees were read and approved. This was followed by addresses by the National Sub Chief Ranger Philip Shorting of New Jersey; Grand Chief Ranger of State, J. C. Mandelson; Dr. J. J. McCarthy of Nashua; P. J. Kennedy of Exeter; M. Dugan of Manchester.

During the morning session the organization pledged its support in every way possible to President Wilson and the government during the world war. The general committee in charge of the arrangements was:

Robert Capstick, Chairman; John Leary, Dr. P. J. Kitteridge, William Coggin, William Ballard, Frank Lizzio, Joseph Sacco, Philip Gerald, J. Rinaldi Ucel.

The officers elected at the afternoon session for the ensuing year were:

Grand Chief Ranger, John J. Gullity of Manchester.  
Grand Sub Chief Ranger, Thomas Smith of Exeter.  
Grand Treasurer, Edward P. Nolan of Claremont.  
Grand Financial Secretary, Thomas P. Mulvanity of Nashua.  
Grand Recording Secretary, Joseph Hancock of Newport.  
Grand Lecturer, Paul H. Mann of Hinsdale.  
Grand Senior Woodward, Alfred Pauze of Lebanon.  
Grand Jr. Woodward, Robert Capstick of Portsmouth.  
Grand Senior Beadle, George H. King of Bennington.  
Grand Jr. Beadle, Edward B. Gaseau of Marlboro.  
Grand Trustee, J. J. Walsh of Nashua, David Whittier of Keene, Joseph Balcome of Wilton.

Delegates to grand convention at Portland August 1917, J. C. Mandelson of Nashua, W. J. Callahan of Keene, A. P. Cassidy of Wilton, and Timothy Sullivan, Manchester.

Alternates, John P. Nash of Nashua, Joseph Burcome of Keene, Thomas Mullen of Wilton and Patrick White of Manchester.

## FOOD PINCH IN GERMANY AGAIN ACUTE

DRASTIC CUT IN POTATO RATIONS BREEDING MORE TROUBLE IN INDUSTRIAL DISTRICTS.

Copenhagen, May 14.—The potato shortage in Germany is making itself felt in spite of assurances at the time the bread ration was reduced last month that enough potatoes were on hand to permit a weekly per capita issue of five pounds until the next harvest.

The bureau of food control, by strenuous efforts, has been able to supply a five pound ration in the Berlin and Westphalia industrial districts, where the labor crisis at the time of the reduction of the bread ration was particularly acute. Better complaints, however, are coming from various other sections of the empire, which feel that they are being slighted in favor of the capital and the Essen district.

In many sections of Bavaria, according to reports to the Reichstag, the potato ration is only 25 ounces weekly. The Hamburg ration is now and has been for weeks three pounds, and the sister city of Altona has been placed for the next week on a pound and a half allowance.

It is true that, in accordance with the government's promise, the bread ration is not reduced where the five-pound allowance of potatoes is not furnished. Every pound extra of flour applied for this purpose, however, upsets the government's scheme of distribution, which was based on the fact that the stock of grain in the empire is barely adequate, under reduced rations to carry the population through until Aug. 15—the earliest possible date when flour from the new harvest is expected to be available.

The national military requisition and expropriation of grain, which has just been finished, has, according to Food Commissioner Michaelis, not uncovered enough unreported grain materially to affect previous estimates. Also the prospective date for the harvest has been still further deferred by the continued cold weather, experienced since the revised scheme of distribution was put out. In east and west Prussia, two of the great grain districts of Germany, frosts were reported as late as last week.

Under the circumstances the authorities face the alternative of again reducing the bread ration or confronting a hiatus of more or less duration between the time of the exhaustion of the present stocks and the incoming of the new crop flour. This is an unpleasant prospect for the government, as it was only able to check the strike movement by the positive assurance that neither the bread nor the potato allowance would be further reduced. Apprehension also is being expressed, particularly in agrarian circles, at the in-

roads which the increased meat ration, granted when the bread allowance was reduced, is making in the meat supply.

## GERMANY PLANNING BIG STROKE

U. S. ARMY EXPERTS LOOK FOR MONSTER OFFENSIVE ON THE WESTERN FRONT.

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Military men here say all signs point to such a plan. Russia, they believe, at least for many weeks to come, is virtually eliminated as a military factor. Therefore, Germany has completely switched her military plans.

The new plans already are being carried into execution. They call for thinning of the Teuton lines on the eastern front and massing of the troops drawn away on the Franco-British-Belgian front.

The United States military men who held this view include officers who have been official observers with European armies. Germany, these men say, serves more than one purpose in thus deciding not to carry out the offensive that was first planned, against the Russian lines, and that included a drive for Petrograd.

With Russian and Teuton soldiers fraternizing on the eastern front and the Russian internal situation apparently becoming more and more chaotic, Germany, to not driving against the Russian lines, can better carry on her propaganda among the soldiers and in "inside" Russia as well.

By the mean time she can well afford to release half a million fighting men for service to stem the Franco-British offensive and to start one of her own. Germany, it was stated, played for a long time in being and to

## WENT IN BANKRUPTCY

Petitions in bankruptcy have been filed with the clerk of the United States Court by Henry A. Sell of Hooksett, liabilities \$448.60, assets \$410; Charles P. Smith of Bristol, liabilities \$1,671, assets \$325; Frank T. Powell of Concord, liabilities \$369, assets \$17; Harry B. Fish of Manchester, liabilities \$1,150.85, assets \$3.74; Thomas A. of Manchester, liabilities \$2,025.51.

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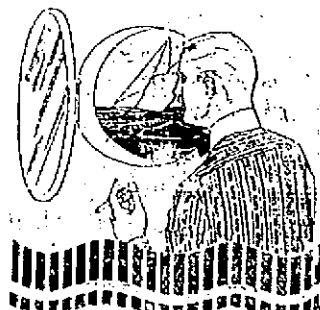
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Chicago 11, Philadelphia 0.  
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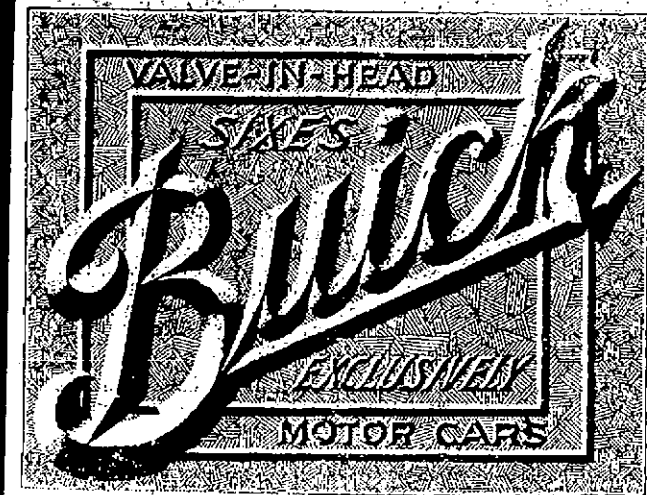
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Portsmouth, N. H., Wednesday, May 16, 1917.

## Frenzied Abuse of Loyalty.

It is apparent that some of the Germans in Germany have a false conception of the duties and obligations of naturalized citizens of the United States, especially when these naturalized citizens happen to be Germans and Germany and the United States happen to be at war.

According to an Associated Press dispatch one German newspaper recently came down heavily on the loyal German citizens of this country. Referring to loyal resolutions lately passed at meetings of German-Americans it said: "German-Americans could not betray their old mother country more shamefully, seeing that nobody will assert that the existence of the United States is endangered by Germany. The more pitiful is the cowardly zeal with which the two million German-Americans in their national associations disown their race in time of distress. The term, German faithfulness, is hereby forever dishonored. Nothing any longer binds us to these 'German-Americans.' We only cherish one wish, that, as speedily as possible, they erase the word German from the names of their organs, its use being as insulting to the German people as to themselves."

This is a clear case of being utterly blinded to facts and the proprieties by fury. The paper that expresses itself in this manner ought to know that naturalized Germans, and others of German descent, are citizens of the United States as truly as if they had never heard of Germany. Assuming citizenship in this country is no child's play. The man who does it takes upon himself all the obligations of the native born, in return for which he is accorded all the rights and privileges of the native born. If American citizens of foreign birth or extraction were, in time of trouble, to stand loyal to the countries from which they or their forefathers came the condition would be simply intolerable.

The German-Americans honor themselves, and in reality the country from which they came, by their loyalty to the land of their adoption, and that substantially all of them do this is greatly to their credit. While their hearts are filled with anguish they do not falter in their duties as citizens, and all the abuse that may be heaped upon them by those who mistakenly think they should pursue a different course will not cause them to.

Chicago doesn't want any military "dry zone" which would include the Windy City, and can hardly be blamed for such a feeling. When the people of Chicago get ready to make the city dry they will do so, but they are not ready to be side-tracked by any indirect method. And there are few cities that do not feel the same way.

New York has repealed its law legalizing professional boxing. Governor Whitman was strongly in favor of the repeal. But as this imply rules out "professional" boxing, it remains to be seen what will come up under the head of non-professional. The people of this country are expert in discovering ways and means of getting around the law.

The Newfoundland fishermen are planning for a big season's work, knowing there will be a good market for all the food they can pull from the sea. May their efforts be not less successful than those of the men and women who are determined to extract the last ounce of food stuffs from the soil.

Democratic Leader Kilchert was aptly explicit the other day when he said the strongest argument in favor of the \$1,800,000,000 war tax bill was that "the government needs the money." There was no room for argument in that point and the bill "went through."

France wants to send its farmers home from the army to work on the land and have American soldiers take their places in the ranks. There never was a time when there was a more widespread opportunity to boost.

To the young men of the country "21 to 30 inclusive" has a meaning that it never had before. And it is reassuring to reflect that the eligibles will not shrink from the duty that confronts them.

It is to be feared that young men who take to the farms for the purpose of avoiding conscription will not be the best of help. But the same would be true of them in the army or navy.

The middle western states have led all the others in filling their quotas of men for the navy. It looks as if some of the young inlanders were anxious to get a smell of salt water.

A little better outlook for war gardening and farming.

## RECOMMEND ADOPTION OF METRIC SYSTEM

(By Associated Press)

London, May 15.—The whole question of the constitution of metric and decimal systems for the present British system of measure, weights and measures is now in the hands of a committee under Lord Balfour of Burleigh. The committee is acting under the direction of the Prime Minister's "Committee on Reconstruction After the War," which was appointed several months ago.

The Associated Chamber of Commerce has just adopted a resolution recommending the adoption of the metric system in modified form, and has also recommended that all contracts for sale or agricultural produce, including milk be legal only when made by weight.

## OPPOSED TO INCREASE IN CUSTOMS TARIFF

(By Associated Press)

Tokio, May 15.—Marquis Okuma has declared himself in opposition to Japan's ratification of China's proposal to increase the Chinese customs tariff on business interests who assert that the proposed increase will prove a great blow to Japan's export trade.

China advanced the proposition as a "desire" in connection with the four-parties over her formal entrance into the war with the United States on the side of the Entente powers.

Japanese manufacturers claim the increase will especially harm the sale of cotton yarn and cotton cloth which form the bulk of Japan's export to China.

## EXPRESS RATES TO BE ADVANCED

(By Associated Press)

New York, May 15.—Rumors that the principal express companies were about to file with the Interstate Commerce Commission for an increase in rates were met today with a statement from the executive of the Adams Express company that their rates were being analyzed with a view to meet the increased operating expenses.

## RUSSIAN TROOPS CROSS RIVER

(By Associated Press)

Petrograd, May 15.—Russian troops have again crossed the Dniester river north of Bagdad. They met with strong opposition and were compelled to fall back.

## NAVY NOTES

Will Look Into His Death

Lieut. Commander J. C. Walcott, Lieut. C. B. Mayo and Dr. T. G. Foster of the U. S. S. Georgia have been ordered to convene as a board of investigation on the suicide of John D. Pratt, a warrant gunner, which occurred at the Quincey House, Boston, on Monday night. The board will report its finding to Captain H. H. Jackson.

of the Virginia and senior officer afloat at the navy yard, who in turn, will send the facts to the secretary of war.

## Time for Them to Show Up

It seems that it is about time for several of the seagoing tugs of the navy assigned to the local navy yard, put in an appearance here.

## Another Small Fire

A rubbish fire in a vacant lot just outside the Charlestown navy yard on Tuesday caused considerable excitement among the residents of the district as they saw the fire department making its way in the direction of the yard.

## Called For Active Duty

Dr. E. L. Updegraff of Rockland and Dr. R. W. Belknap of Boston have been called for active duty in the navy reserve corps and assigned to duty at the Portsmouth yard hospital.

## On Her Way Up to Coast.

The patrol steamer Halsey is on her way from Boothbay Harbor and should reach the local navy yard tonight.

## Still Guarded by Marines.

A marine detachment from the local yard barracks are still doing duty at the Rye Beach cable station and the government radio station at Portland Harbor.

## TO AMEND THE SHIPPING LAWS

(By Associated Press)

London, May 15.—Suggestions have been made by a sub-committee of the Unionist War Committee to amend the shipping law so as to make it illegal for foreigners to own shares in British ships or in companies and corporations owning British ships.

## AT THE COLONIAL THEATRE

March's Musical Merry Makers Open a Two Weeks' Engagement on Monday Afternoon Presenting, "A Broken Idol."

"A Broken Idol," the musical sensation of two continents, which will be the opening play presented by March's Musical Merry Makers at the Colonial Theatre, two weeks starting Monday afternoon next, is one of those delightful creations that has all the requisites of a musical comedy of the higher order. It is bristling with the spontaneous variety, redolent with the sweetness of catchy and tuneful songs that permeate the entire performance. It is a cure for the tired mind, and a wonderful panacea for all varieties of depression. Its plot is effervescent with mirth provoking situations that give unusual life and zest to the production. There is a world of festivity and music, pretty girls dressed in the latest and gayest modes and two beautiful scenic sets depicting the famous Chinatown in Los Angeles, Cal., during the Chinese New Year's celebration and a millionaire's summer home at San Monica, Cal. Of the musical numbers, "Love Makes the World Go Round," "Tread its way hauntingly through the performance. Other gems in the score are "From Here to Shanghai," "The Looking for Someone's Heart," "Made," "Springtime," "Alabama," and "When I Get Back to Bonnie Scotland." An exceedingly clever cast of principals headed by that popular comedian Don MacMillan and includes Dagmar Luetke, Ruth Wheeler, Nettie Woods, Al Warner, Lew Madden, Ed. Detman, William Meehan, and a big singing and dancing chorus of Broadway beauties.

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## SIX TIMES A SURVIVOR

(By Associated Press)

Liverpool, May 15.—The "most tormented" seaman in the British Isles is J. H. Jones of Holyhead, who six times has been a survivor from torpedoed merchant ships. He has just returned home from the Mediterranean, where his ship the Tara, was sunk by a German submarine.

## ANOTHER PEACE PREDICTION

(By Associated Press)

London, May 15.—The Office of Works, in outlining work to be done after the war, hazards the guess that peace will be declared in July, August or September of next year.

## BERLIN REPORTS SUCCESSSES

(By Associated Press)

Berlin, May 15.—The capture of trenches on a front of 600 metres east of Laneville is announced in the official dispatches from the war office today.

## OLYMPIA THEATRE NOTES.

Virginia Pearson has her own views about the organization of society. In her spare moments she often writes satirical verse, one of which is given here:

My children, you must never smoke  
Until you've reached your teens;  
The weed will make your insides feel  
As crowded as sardines.

Not until you reach a drop of drink  
Until you're twelve at least,  
For alcohol will make a little  
Boy a beast.

And I advise you very much  
To utter not an oath.  
It isn't done. That's thought enough  
For you and me both.

Try this on your ukulele. One of the 100 verses in a poem written by a Missouri girl in honor of William Hart runs as follows:

Lord, I hope you'll go on playin' them  
things; honest I'm keen  
For you any time, all the time, my  
sweet heart of the green.

'Cause sometimes you make me laugh,  
and sometimes you make me sigh,  
And then, do you know, you're acting  
makes me cry.

The program that we have to offer our patrons this Wednesday and Thursday is far above the bill we had on Monday and Tuesday.

Both of the feature pictures today are exceptionally strong in story. Virginia Pearson has the leading role in the Fox picture, "Bitter Truth." The play is an elaborate one and is in six parts.

The story tells of a girl's plan of revenge against the man who unjustly sentenced her to prison.

Paramount Pictures offer one of the strongest problem plays of the season in "The Martyrdom of Philip Strong," written by the Rev. Charles M. Sheldon.

This picture will make you think, and when the final scene has faded out on the screen one realizes that a great lesson has been taught.

Another Fox film comedy will be shown, entitled "The Cloudpuncher."

If the length of the program will permit, we will show a "Trip to Los Angeles" with the Ford educational weekly.

## Letters from the People

Should Have a Motor Steamer

Mr. Editor:  
In nearly all cities the size of Portsmouth, the fire department includes a motor steamer and I am of the opinion that a piece of the apparatus of this kind would be a valuable adjunct to our own department. With the call men asking for an increase in pay, it would seem that a more fitting and up to date policy would be to dispose of the steamer at the West End which I am told is not in any too good condition, and reduce the number of call men. With a motor steamer and a few more plumbers men, one or two of the present fire companies could be done away with and the department still be as efficient. If the taxpayers have got to assume any more of a burden, let's have something that will give us protection.

BOX 55.

## RESIGNS AS TRAVELING AGENT.

Robert J. Kirkpatrick, who has been connected with the Eldredge Brewing Company since the business passed from the management of H. Fisher Eldredge, today resigned as the traveling representative of the firm.

The day of harsh physicals is gone. People want mild, easy laxatives. Doan's Regulae have satisfied thousands. 25c at all stores.

## STATE DEFENSE LEAGUE TELLS OF THE PURPOSE OF LEAGUE

The State Defense League has issued a statement to the patriotic citizens of New Hampshire outlining in extent the purposes of the league. The league is a non-partisan, non-political organization of men and women devoted to the work of securing adequate defense for protecting the state and the nation, by promoting patriotic education, by holding public meetings and the distribution of literature, and the adoption of universal military training and service as a permanent national policy.

While the league cannot officially represent the state government it is in a broad way a part of that government and in effect an arm of the governor in the creation of public opinion in support of every measure he may take to carry on the work of the state in the present war.

Governor Keyes is honorary president of the league and in reality its head. There are 2000 members of the league in New Hampshire, among whom are the judges of the supreme and superior courts, all but two members of the state senate, a majority of the house of representatives, most of the state officers and members of the governor's council.

John H. Jameson of Concord is the chairman of the committee of 100 on public safety which has been diligent at work since its organization on March 22.

The work of demanding the largest and most continuous effort and calling for the largest expenditure of money is that of the food committee, of which Huntley N. Spaulding is chairman and W. C. O'Keefe of the state college is vice-chairman, who are assisted by a committee of practical and experienced

men and its organization extends to almost every town in the state. Among the things initiated by this committee to increase the food production of the state is the setting at work of ten competent men to assist the county agents in assisting and advising the farmers and gardeners of the state in planting and harvesting food crops. This work must continue to the end of the season and will require a large amount of work.

It is estimated that in addition to the contribution of the state branch of the national civic federation, \$25,000 will be required to carry on this work to the end of the season, of which the largest part must be provided for the committee on production, conservation and distribution of food and a considerable sum will be required by the committee on recruiting.

The matter of raising the funds has been considered by a committee of which Governor Keyes, Lester Church General Elbert Wheeler and Arthur M. Heard were members and they have decided that it can best be done through the defense league with the co-operation of the committee and on public safety and patriotic citizens.

Every loyal citizen can help in this work by joining the Defense League and contributing a membership fee of anywhere from \$1 up. There are many who have contributed \$100 and some much more. Enrollment cards can be had and contributions will be received by Edward N. Peterson, treasurer of Concord.

The officers of the league are Gov. Henry W. Keyes, honorary president; Frank S. Streeter, president; Clarence B. Carr, chairman executive committee; Hobart Pillsbury, secretary.

## DESIRE A COMPENSATION

(By Associated Press)

London, May 15.—The nation received \$25,000 annually by the abolition of 95 revising barristers (lawyers who revise the voting lists) provided for in the new registration bill. The lawyers thus affected, many of whom have lucrative practices, strongly object to the action of the government and have addressed to it a petition in which they say they ought to receive a "compassionate allowance" for the loss of their occupation.

## CALLS CONGRESS SLACKER BODY

New York, May 15.—Under the heading "A Slacker Congress," the New York World today said editorially:

"Congress is the one branch of the government which has broken down in the war and failed of its duty. Although the declaration of a state of war was adopted April 6, the United States is still without a military establishment thanks to the folly of Congress. It is anything but a pleasant spectacle and if there is any leadership left in Congress it cannot assert itself too soon. Otherwise the American people will find themselves with a broken-down government in the midst of the most calamitous war known to history."

## NEW WAR TIME GRIEVANCE

(By Associated Press)

London, April 15.—London omnibus conductors have a new war time grievance. They are complaining that there are now very few "Jump on buses," as they call them. They mean active, vigorous passengers who take a flying leap at the bus without calling for it to stop. The conductors realize that this is a war time condition because all the young men are at the front. They are grumbling because frequent stops prevent them from keeping time.

## TO PROTECT PANAMA CANAL

(By Associated Press)

Ancon, Panama Canal Zone, May 15.—To protect the Panama Canal against surprise movements by raiders and to secure peaceful commercial ships against possible harm without confusion, General Plummer has established what are known as "defensive sea areas" off both entrances to the canal. They are in effect anti-room sections, where every ship must present her credentials and undergo inspection before entering the canal.

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At the meeting of Damon Lodge No. 9, Knights of Pythias, held last evening the following officers were named to serve on the committee to decorate the graves of departed members, at the annual Memorial Sunday, June 17.

Commander: Ferguson,  
Vice Commander: Hayes, Probate Warrington, Master of Work: Sanderson, Keeper of Records and Seals: Weston, Master of Finance: Woods, Outer Guard: Mercer, and Past Chancellor: Heller.

Plans are being perfected for the observance of the Memorial day in a fitting manner.

### ST. JOHN'S CHURCH.

Ascension Day—First even-song, Wednesday, 5:30 p. m.  
Thursday—Holy Communion, 8 and 10:30 a. m.; singing prayer, 10 a. m.; even-song, 5:00 p. m.

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## DIVORCE IS GRANTED IN TWELVE CASES

Thirty Cases for the Court to Hear in York County.

The following divorces have been granted during the May term of supreme court in York county. Though thirty cases were in order for a hearing, Judge Philbrook only heard 12, granting a decree in each case:

Clara L. Davis of Old Orchard, vs Walter E. Davis of Old Orchard, Gross and confirmed habits of intoxication.  
Elizabeth E. Hayes of Saco, vs Clyde W. Hayes, residence unknown. Utter desertion.

Edwila T. Nason of Saco, vs Sadie Owens Nason of Saco, Intoxication.  
Mary V. Goodwin of Kennebunkport, vs Edilton N. Goodwin of Boston.

Allice A. Denby of Sanford, vs Jonas Denby of Sanford. Cruel and abusive treatment.

Fred E. Foster of Sanford, vs Mary D. Foster of Lynn, Desertion.  
Florida Parmelee of Kennebunk, vs Alphonso Parmelee, residence unknown. Desertion.

Fannie A. Blaisdell of York, vs Joseph E. Blaisdell of Portsmouth, N. H. Gross and confirmed habits of intoxication.

Harvey W. Weaver of York, vs Lida C. Weaver, residence unknown. Cruel and abusive treatment.

Harriet Bradbury of Biddeford, vs George E. Bradbury of Biddeford. Non support.

Edith A. Burnett of Berwick, vs Alfred A. Burnett of Lynn, Mass. Statutory.

Margaret Manning of Sanford, vs George E. Manning of Detroit, Mich. Gross and confirmed habits of intoxication.

## THE CHILDREN'S TIN BOX FUND

The Children's Tin Box Fund has been in general operation through New Hampshire since early in April. Previous to that time a few boxes had been placed in Concord and in Bethlehem. There are now one hundred and eighty boxes in the state in forty-seven cities, towns and villages, and it is expected that more will soon be placed. The first contributions are now coming in from several places. Others have remitted two or three

times. Receipts to date are as follows:	
Ashland	\$5.00
Claremont	17.41
Concord	31.73
Dixville Notch	5.00
Greenland	2.74
Groveton	1.50
Hampton	4.01
Harrisville	2.47
Lisbon	4.00
Milford	20.53
Nashua	13.15
Newington	4.31
Newmarket	3.50
North Woodstock	5.00
Nottingham	10.00
Portsmouth	63.91
Fremont	4.51

\$202.45

In Concord the work has been taken up by Junior organizations, Boy Scouts, Knights of King Arthur, Audubon Society, etc. In Milford and in Wolfeboro a Girls' Club has taken the responsibility for the boxes.

There is a false impression in some quarters that the food never reaches those for whom it is intended, and some people even believe that it is used by the Germans. As a matter of fact, every cent put into the boxes goes toward food for Belgian children. The food is purchased in this country, handled by the American commission until it reaches the Dutch border, is then handed over to the Dutch who have long been working with the Americans. The Belgians themselves aid in the distribution.

Of course, ships have been destroyed and cargoes lost, but all cargoes are fully insured. It is difficult at this time to get enough ships to fill the need but the work is being carried on as well as possible. The United States has recently taken over the burden of feeding Belgium which has been carried for a long time by the French and British governments, but this does not in any way cover that part of the work which has been carried by private philanthropy in this country.

The special object of the Children's Tin Box Fund is to give to Belgian children an extra meal each day, as it has been found that growing children cannot stand the low diet on which the older people have been subsisting for two years and a half.

There are those who say that "we must look after our own" and in their apprehension about the future are unwilling to help meet the present need. Belgium has for three years been suffering and fighting for humanity, and for us. Who are "our own" if not the children of this, our ally?

Let every one do his bit for the Belgian children.

The report of collections in Portsmouth for the past two weeks is as follows:

Payne's Store	\$4.42
Sheldahl Inn	1.13
Army and Navy Ass'n	.52
Birmingham Hotel	.50
Drake's Market	.53
Shoe Factory	2.00
Boston Factory	.18
Library	1.78
Borthwick's store	.66
Green's Drug Store	3.39

## THE HERALD HEARS

That a local dentist reports that he was the victim of a film-fam artist on Tuesday who got away with some jewelry.

That some of the firemen are said to have declined to sign the petition for increase of pay.

That all but one of the ministers of Dover oppose the parade in that city on Sunday next.

That they suggest that it be held on Decoration day.

That many people are opposed to that date for the reason that it is exclusively for the G. A. R. in honoring the dead.

That a move has been made to have the postponed Somerset parade on that day also and the same protest against it is raised by the G. A. R.

That potato dealers are not only skinning the eyes out of the spuds but are getting the eye teeth out of the consumers.

That the navy department plans to reduce the navy yard water bill considerably by taking what water it can from this city.

That the board of registrars at city hall are not overburdened with work.

That as usual there is expected the usual rush of voters to appear for certificates at the last hour on election day May 25.

That this is the greatest drawback in all our elections in Portsmouth.

That there will be no improvement until this election day session of the board is swayed out.

That 20 barrels of seed claims have been planted on the Newburyport flats.

That the city is trying to bring back one of its once important industries.

That the Concord city government wants plenty of noise for the glorious Fourth.

That they refused to check the sale of fireworks and voted against the "quiet Fourth" movement made by the mayor.

That a new insurance firm is to open for business in this city in a few days.

That the office of the same will be in the New Hampshire National bank building.

That if you want to make your garden safe from pigeons and cats, screen it in some way.

That complaints are numerous about the destruction caused by the pigeons.

That one man states that he has put out cabbage plants three times and the doves have cleaned them up.

That he is going to take the necessary steps to protect his land and some of the doves are going to be missed.

That the safest way for owners to keep the birds is to lock them in the coops.

That the girl who doesn't mind a muddy street crossing usually has two good reasons.

That an Iowa woman showed that a girl can live on 33 cents a day but failed to convince herself that any one wants such economy.

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## EXETER NEWS

Phone 476, News Items

### SUBSCRIPTIONS

John Curran, - Jady Hill

## EXETER

Exeter, May 15.—Word has been received at the Phillips Exeter academy office that it is feared that Stanley Peters, a Wilton boy, who was a student here last year, has been killed in the big drive in France during his service in a Canadian regiment.

The local Y. M. C. A. will send a large delegation to the fourth annual Older Boys' Conference which is to be held at Hallowell on Saturday and Sunday.

The marriage of Miss Ida N. Buckley, secretary of the faculty of the Robinson Female seminary to Dr. Frank Cushman of Claremont took place at the home of his sister, Mrs. Henry O. King, in that town today.

John R. Ronald, proprietor of the Exeter Custom Laundry, and Joas Jette of the Star Steam Laundry will attend the annual New Hampshire and Vermont Laundry Owners meeting which is to be held at the Laconia Tavern in Laconia on Saturday.

The work of macadamizing Water street was commenced yesterday, the contract being taken by a Manchester firm.

The regular meeting of the Rockingham county commissioners in accordance with the opening day of superior court was held yesterday at the rooms in the county building.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Hatchelder and Mrs. James H. Hatchelder have gone to the Alpine at North Woodstock. James H. Hatchelder, the proprietor, will go later in the season.

Recruits are being sent here to enlist in the Coast Artillery corps from many sections in Massachusetts and Vermont.

Linwood Morrison, son of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar L. Morrison of Cass street, was operated on for appendicitis in the Exeter Cottage hospital.

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## E. G. PARKER POST MEMORIAL DAY ORDERS

### General Order No. 1.

In compliance with the Rules and Regulations of the Grand Army of the Republic and in obedience to Departmental Orders, May 27 will be observed by the Post as Memorial Sunday and Wednesday, May 30, as Memorial Day.

The Memorial Day program for this year must be very much curtailed owing to the number of comrades that have answered the last "Roll Call" within the past year.

Also the aid we have received from the officers and men from the Navy Yard. Our chief aid with the schools and children, before and on Memorial Day, has been Mr. Alexander Bennett, who has been called away on war duties. Death and the war has made it impossible for the Post to have such exercises as in past years. The Post will assemble at Wentworth hall at 8 o'clock, May 30.

The decorating committee consisting of James W. Brown, V. H. Goodwin, Frank E. Lowey, will then proceed to the Navy Yard, decorating the graves of comrades there; return at 3:30.

The Post will then form in line at 3:15, which will consist of Post members and invited comrades of the Civil war in carriages.

Proceed to Orchard Grove cemetery where General Logan's Memorial Day Order of 1863 will be read by the adjutant.

Commander V. H. Goodwin will read Lincoln's Gettysburg Address. Prayer by Rev. E. W. Cummings. Decorating of graves by the members of the Post, aided by Sons of Veterans of Kittery, the boys of Trap academy and Boy Scouts. Return to hall. "Break ranks."

Memorial Sunday, May 27. The Post will attend services at the Free Baptist church, Kittery Point, at 2 o'clock.

Decorating Committees — Orchard Grove, L. L. Goodrich and Comrades of Post; Lower Foreville, James W. Brown; Wentworth Tomb, L. H. M. Pray; Kittery Point, V. H. Goodwin, F. E. Lowey, Brackett Lewis; Spruce Creek, D. M. Shapleigh; Kittery Depot, William T. Carr; Badger's Island, Henry Bowden.

Memorial Committee—V. H. Goodwin, L. H. M. Pray, F. E. Lowey, Henry Bowden, Benjamin Bunker.

## LOOK NATTY IN THEIR BLUE JACKET BLOUSES

Boston, May 15.—The boys from the West who have joined the Naval Reserve, and who are stationed at Commonwealth Pier, are to take an automobile ride this week over the famous Paul Revere Route. They will start at Charlestown, and will follow the road through Somerville, Medford, Arlington, Lexington, to Concord, where they will have lunch at the old Paul Revere Tavern in Concord. They will visit the famous monument erected to the embattled farmers. The trip has been arranged through their Chaplains.

The latest arrival to the Western Delegation is Edward Voves of Perham, Minnesota. He is enrolled at Fargo, and passed the examinations at Minneapolis. He is detailed on the Receiving Ship at South Boston. As a seaman, Voves has had his share of all the pleasures and features of the life. He has completed his term as Mess Cook, for division 6, Section 4, at the pier. He says that he has had many opportunities to visit the historic places about Boston.

The boys are getting plenty of shore leave.

Among the six Newton boys at Commonwealth Pier who recently enlisted in the Navy, and are assigned to duty at Commonwealth Pier, is F. C. Kneeland, son of John Kneeland of Beacon Street, Waban. Young Kneeland has the rating of a Machinist's Mate, and has had several details of active service on the Coast Patrol Boats. He is well pleased with the work, and enjoys life in the barracks of the Receiving Ship.

The 1800 sailors at Commonwealth Pier celebrated Mother's Day on Sunday with special services. Extra music was furnished by the churches, and during the afternoon several entertainments were given. There were lot of carnations visible. The sailor boys have not forgotten their homes.

Princeton College has but one representative in the Boston Navy Yard. He is S. Parker, '11, who lives in Boston. He is also a graduate of Noble & Greenough. Parker enrolled in Class I, March 15, and was assigned to active service April 13, and has since been stationed as orderly to Commander Mitchell at the enroll-

ing office in the Yard. There are many Princeton men in the second naval district.

South Boston has two representatives in the enrolling office of the Yard, Thomas McMann, and Francis Corrigan. Both are members of the South Boston Yacht Club. Corrigan is Orderly to Lieutenant Russell, and McMann is Orderly to Commander Mitchell.

The Yeomen are getting into uniform. In this particular case, it means the Women Yeomen. They look natty in their blue-jacket blouses and rating stripes and device. There are fully two score women now enrolled in the Yeoman Class.

WORKING FOR NOISELESS 4TH.

The New Hampshire Committee of Safety adopted resolutions at a meeting in favor of a "noiseless" fourth of July throughout the state. This action will be communicated to the committee's various branches with the request that it be made effective by local regulations.

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## IRISH LEADERS WILL HEAR HOME RULE FATE TODAY

LLOYD GEORGE HAS SENT COMMUNICATION THAT MONDAY MAY BE SET ASIDE IN BRITISH HOUSE OF COMMONS FOR DISCUSSION

London, May 15.—Andrew Bonar Law, chancellor of the exchequer, announced in the House of Commons today that Premier Lloyd George would make a communication to the Irish leaders on the Irish question which would be in their hands by tomorrow. The Government, he added, was prepared to hold Monday for discussion of the question.

Joseph Devlin, member for the west of Ireland division of Belfast, asked: "What is the meaning of this delay in the matter? This is an important matter which will be communicated to the Irish leaders by tomorrow. Is it the intention of the Government to delay the matter?" Mr. Law replied that he did not think

the charge of treachery was justified. He said it would not be the best method simply to announce the proposal to the House before the party leaders had an opportunity of judging it. The Government would do its best to effect a settlement. Whatever view was taken regarding the Government's proposals by the Irish leaders, the Government statement would be made in the House of Commons on Monday.

## RUSSIA REMAINS LOYAL TO THE ALLIED CAUSE

(By Associated Press)  
Washington, May 15.—On the eve of the departure from this country of the American Commission to Russia, advice received in Washington by the State Department from the provisional government state that the German Government has not met with success with their intrigues and propaganda in Russia and that Russia is still in the war against German Imperialist aggression.

## U-BOATS SENT TO THE U. S. CAPTURED

FLEET OF SUBMARINES STARTED ACROSS WITH ORDERS TO PREY ON SHIPPING DESTROYED BY BRITISH

New York, May 15.—Shortly after the United States entered the war against Germany a fleet of submarines was dispatched by the German government, under orders to come to this country and do whatever damage they could to shipping. Interests here. A high officer who arrived at an American port from Europe today makes this statement.

The officer said all the submarines were caught or destroyed before they reached the United States, as authorities had informed the British admiralty, which had acted promptly and effectively, by either destroying or towing the raiders to British ports.

The officer declared that the reason for the sending out of the submarine fleet—which numbered six or more—was to put a damper on shipping, as well as to prevent the United States from supplying the allies with supplies and foodstuffs.

## NAVY YARD AT NEW YORK HAS SERIOUS FIRE

INTERNED GERMAN LINERS THERE FOR REPAIRS WERE ENDANGERED BY BLAZE WHICH DESTROYED BUILDING.

(By Associated Press)  
New York, May 15.—Fire from unknown causes broke out this afternoon in the five-story hotel building of the New York navy yard, destroying the building and doing damage which will probably reach hundreds of thousands of dollars. At present on each side of the building are German interned liners, now taken over by the United States government and which are undergoing repairs preparatory to being put into service for the war, were endangered but the efforts of the fire fighters prevented either being damaged.

## BETHMANN-HOLLWEG REFUSES TO STATE GERMAN PEACE PLAN

(By Associated Press)  
Berlin, via London, 11:40 p. m., May 15.—In the most vigorous and positive speech delivered in the Reichstag since the beginning of the war the Imperial Chancellor, Dr. von Bethmann-Hollweg today absolutely declined to discuss Germany's peace proposals at the demands of the radicals and socialists in the body and the nation. Calls for specific peace proposals and a declaration of the policies for continuing the war by the different factions of the government were not answered by the Chancellor who said that he declined at this time to make these plans known partly as the time was not ripe and that he declined to be swayed by the spell which was sweeping over the country as he was not a member of any party or clique.

Annexation and indemnity. Von Bethmann-Hollweg declared that there was no reason to make any answer to the demands which were being made since December 1914 and that he would refuse to make any statement of the Imperial policy as he felt that the nation at large was in sympathy and in support of the government.

Regarding the question of annexation and indemnities which these factions are asking the government to state their policies the Chancellor said that he would not make any statement at this time. Such statements, he declared, would prolong the war. "I shall not give the German Empire," the Chancellor demanded, "in all directions to one-sided formula, a one-part recommendation which will threaten the success of the nation for which our

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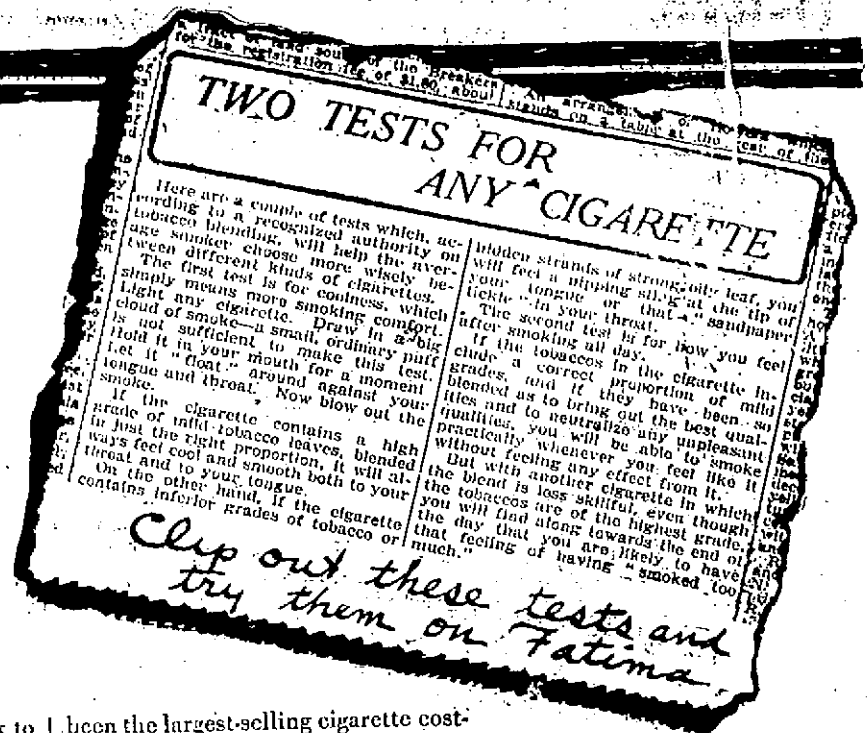
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## PRESIDENT SPEEDING UP CONGRESS

Washington, May 15.—President Wilson is attempting to speed up Congress in the passage of war legislation and he held conferences with leaders of both the House and Senate urging that they take some action. The question of the food situation and the passage of the administration food control bill was also taken up by the conference.



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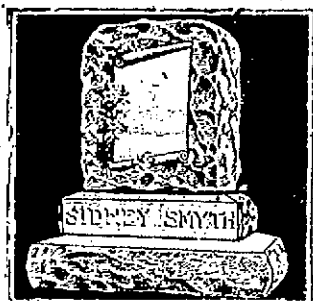
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## LABOR THE BIG ITEM IN THE FOOD PROBLEM

COLONEL POPE TELLS MANUFACTURERS THAT SHORTAGE OF HELP IN AGRICULTURAL DISTRICTS IS LIKELY TO CAUSE SERIOUS TROUBLE.

New York, May 15.—In manufacturing there can be little apprehension as to production, but the food problem is a serious one, in the opinion of Colonel George Pope of Hartford, Conn., president of the National Association of Manufacturers. In a recent meeting here, Colonel Pope said labor shortage in agricultural districts is largely responsible for decrease in production. He urged manufacturers to release labor for farm work during certain seasons.

"The increase in wages in manufacturing sections during the past two years," he said, "has drawn from the agricultural districts an immense number who otherwise would remain upon the farms. It is within the power of the manufacturers to alleviate this condition to a very considerable extent, and in certain local sections it is already being accomplished though it may be at the financial cost to the manufacturers."

"In all manufacturing sections adjacent to agricultural districts, the manufacturers can do much at certain times during the summer and fall by sparing or detaching from their manufacturing force men to work on the crops. This is really a matter of primary importance to every individual of the nation."

## STRIKE STARTS OVER HALF DAY AT ROCHESTER

(By Associated Press.)  
Rochester, May 15.—Two hundred employees of the United Box and Lumber Company went out on strike to-night when their demands for Saturday half holidays, with pay, were denied.

### MAINE EDITOR DEAD

Belfast, Me., May 15.—Charles A. Pillsbury, for the past 38 years editor and publisher of the Republican Journal, a weekly and widely known in New England newspaper circles, died to-day at the age of 78 years.

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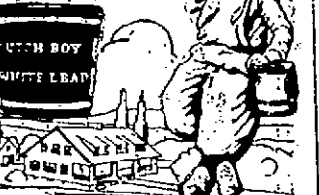
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## MUNITION WORKERS FOR GENERAL MILITARY SERVICE

London, May 15.—(Correspondence of The Associated Press.)—In order fully to meet the pressing need of the army for 500,000 men between now and July next, recently announced by General Sir William Robertson, a large number of munition workers are to be set free for general military service. The process of release began May 1, and it is intended that the men released shall be called up as far as possible in age groups, beginning with the younger men. All men whose service is found to be indispensable for the output of munitions will be protected. Similarly all skilled and other essential men engaged on shipbuilding, repair, and marine engineering will for the present be protected from re-enlistment.

## DIPLOMATIC AND CONSULAR SERVICES TO BE REORGANIZED

(By Associated Press.)  
London, May 15.—The British diplomatic and consular services seem likely to be completely reorganized after the war. Many of these posts promise to be filled by ex-officers of the army or navy and the feeling seems to be prevailing that the chief qualification should be service in the war. At present these services are either not operating at all, as for instance in enemy countries, or are at high pressure and under abnormal conditions. With the close of the war there will be the big task of reorganizing the service.

## JAPAN WANTS CLOSER ECONOMIC RELATIONS

(By Associated Press.)  
Osaka, Japan, May 15.—Establishment of closer economic relations between Japan and the United States in order to solve the political questions pending between the two countries is the object of the present Japanese Minister of Finance. In an address recently delivered before the bankers of southern Japan.

## LIQUOR ADVERTISING BARRED IN STATE AFTER MAY 1918

(By Associated Press.)  
Washington, May 15.—Postmaster General Dillman announced today the states in which letters, newspapers and other publications carrying liquor advertisements would be barred, under the Reed amendment. There are twenty-four states so affected, among them being New Hampshire.

## NAVY AND MARINE CORPS INCREASED IN STRENGTH

(By Associated Press.)  
Washington, May 15.—The Senate this afternoon passed the House bill to increase the Navy by 150,000 men and the Marine Corps by 100,000 men to bring the naval strength up to the new strength of the army. The bill will have to pass the House.

SUBSCRIBES MILLION DOLLARS TO LOAN.

Pittsburgh, May 15.—A subscription of one million dollars to the Liberty loan by the Pittsburgh Steel company was announced to-day.

## MECHANICS ARE NEEDED FOR AIR CAMP

RECRUITS FOR NAVY COST GOVERNMENT BETWEEN \$5 AND \$5 EACH, IS REPORT.

Boston, May 15.—Figures made public this morning at the Charleston Navy Yard show that fifty-seven recruits were accepted yesterday on the battleship Virginia, out of a total of 150 applicants. This compares with five recruits on Saturday. Most of the rejections were on account of bad teeth, poor eye sight, flat feet and underweight. The recruits have been secured at an average cost of from \$5 to \$6 each, which is much less than the average figures for recruiting stations. The figures for January show 35, February 42, March 57, April 62 and May, to date, 189 recruits enlisted on the Virginia, a total of 1855, or nearly twice the complement of the ship. Fifty more mechanics are needed for work at the Naval Air Station at Squantum. Hereafter all men desiring to enroll as mechanics will have to report at the station and not at the navy yard as formerly. Men experienced in such trades as the following named will be most desirable: gas-engine mechanics, machine-tool men, cooper smiths, blacksmiths, carpenters and shipbuilders. Consideration will be given to the work to be done on air craft in deciding the qualifications of the applicants. Some of the detailed higher training will be given at the navy yard.

## FARMING MADE COMPULSORY IN GUAM BY LAW

EVERYBODY WITHOUT A TRADE OR OCCUPATION TO BE SUPPLIED WITH LAND AND MADE TO TILL IT.

Washington, May 15.—Compulsory farming is proposed for natives of Guam, the United States' island possession in the Pacific by a law submitted to the insular congress, and communicated to the Navy Department today. Persons without a trade or habitual occupation would be considered vagrants by the law and put to work on their own plot or on land to be assigned by the island government.

## BIG FLEET OF SUBMARINES IN OPERATION

Amsterdam, May 15.—The Germans have 325 submarines in action and about 39 to 400 have been caught in British nets according to the Telegraph which prints an interview with a member of the crew of the submarine U-53, the submarine that sunk the Dutch grain ship in February.

When at sea the captain said the crafts assemble each morning at a given point and receive their orders presumably from Heligoland.

There are also 35 U-boats of a new construction each carrying 50 men.

### OF WOMANLY INTEREST.

Modern Kitchens. The back to the kitchen movement should receive an impetus from the difference between the modern kitchen and those in which our grandmothers used to work. There is a great advance from the old fashioned stove which was constantly fed with wood or coal and the modern gas or electric stove, also the kitchen cabinet saves many a step, and aluminum utensils are kept clean much more easily than those of copper or iron. The modern housewife has a picnic compared with her grandmother.



**Tastiest Taffy**  
Be sure to come here when you want some of that old-fashioned taffy like mother used to make. Flavored just right—always fresh. Looks good—tastes better.

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### WANTED

WANTED—Boston dressmaker desires engagements in best families. Tailor made, evening gowns, alterations. Best references. Address "L" this office. ch 1w m12

WANTED—A waitress to work in a restaurant. Apply at 22 Vaughan st. he m11, 1w

WANTED—Women for beading. Apply to 13 Jackson street. he m1, 1w

OLD FALSE TEETH BOUGHT—Broken or any condition. We pay up to \$5 a set, according to value. Mail at once and get our offer. If unsatisfactory, will return teeth. Domestic Supply Co., Binghamton, N. Y.

GIRL WANTED—One familiar with typewriting and some ability to canvass. Address Business, Herald-Chronicle Office.

FOR RENT—The third floor over Chas. W. Green's store, next to A. G. Brewster's Bldg. also the basement. The upper floor would make an excellent Photograph Gallery or tin shop. Inquire at this office. ch 1f m21

FURNITURE MOVING—Both local and long distance, with heavy auto truck and handlers of long experience. Prices moderate. The Portsmouth Furniture Co., cor. Deer and Vaughan streets, near B. & M. depot. ch 1f m24

### TO LET

TO LET—Three rooms for light housekeeping. Also two separate rooms. Apply to Mrs. Healy, cor. Washington and State Sts. he m14, 1w

TO LET—Furnished room, steam heat, opposite P. O. Apply to W. Brown, over Matthews' hardware store, Pleasant St. he m14, 1f

TO LET—For the months of June, July and August, 4 furnished rooms for light housekeeping, in good locality. Apply at this office. h m12, 1w

TO LET—A furnished front room, fine location, modern improvements, private family, no transients. Apply 36 Highland street, near Middle street. he m9, 1f

TO LET—Six-room tenement, Bartlett street, second door from corner of Islington. Apply Fullam's store. he m8, 1w

FOR RENT—Top floor at 73 State street. Would make first class photo gallery. he m14, 1f

TO LET—A furnished room on Lincoln Avenue for male occupancy. Inquire Chronicle-Herald Office.

FOR RENT—Furnished house of 6 rooms, all conveniences. Address 11, this office. he m16, 1w

TO LET—House of 6 rooms at 101 Hanover street. Apply to Tony Murton, 116 Penhallow street. he m10, 1f

TO LET—Two pleasant, sunny rooms, furnished, modern improvements. Apply at Herald Office. he m1, 1w

TO LET—Tenement of three rooms \$8.00. Apply at this office. ch 1f m21

TO LET—Store at 16 Bridge street. Apply M. Silverman, 27 Danforth street. he m10, 1f

TO LET—Tenement of six rooms. Rent \$10.50. Apply at this office. ch 1f m21

TO LET—Tenement of 7 rooms. Apply at this office. ch 1f m21

### FOR SALE

FOR SALE—A fine camping tent with full equipment and practically new; set up by 25. A bargain. Address H. B. S. this office. ch 3w m16

FOR SALE—Dark bay mare, weight between 1100 and 1200 lbs.; sound and excellent worker. Address B, this office. he m10, 1w

FOR SALE—Setter pups, 6 months old, fine hunters, guaranteed. Now is the time to buy your Fall dogs. Address D. E. Landers. he 1w, m1, 1f

FOR SALE—6 room single house No. 189 Fleet street. Nice locality; also double house 37 Bridge street. Price reasonable. For further information inquire of James J. Scully, Box 567. ch 1f m14

FOR SALE—On Orchard street, modern house of 6 rooms, bath and pantry. Apply at 81 Lincoln avenue. Tel. 1032Y. he m26, 1f

FOR SALE—Whinmill and Pump in good condition. Box 76, Rye Beach, N. H. ch 1w m16

FOR SALE—25 Tons early cut Timothy and mixed hay, for sale cheap. Arno L. Wilson, North Kittery, Me. he m11, 1f

### TO LET

One nice, large office, well lighted and heated, Herald and Chronicle building. Enquire at Herald Office.

### FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Express business, with or without auto truck. Inquire of Charles Witham, Kittery Point, Me. he m14, 1w

FOR SALE—Everbearing strawberry plants; plant in May and pick delicious red berries from July to November; 100 plants \$1.75; 200 for \$3. Order at once. Irving Davis, So. Eliot, Me. he m7, 1m

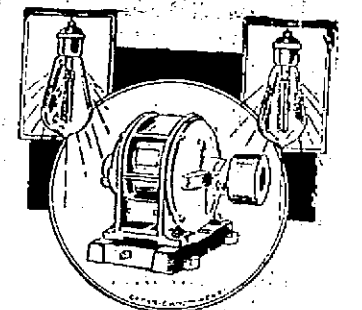
FOR SALE—Victor Talking Machine cost \$40. Will sell for \$15. Condition A1. Address E, this office. ch 1w m15

TYPEWRITERS of all makes for sale and to rent. The Typewriter Store, Dover, N. H. he m17, 1f

FOR SALE—Some very good show cases and wall fixtures. Apply at this office.

### LOST

LOST—A hand bag between Gray's Lodge, Kittery, and Hilsop's stable, Portsmouth. Return to W. F. Gerry, Hilsop's stable. Finder rewarded. he m15, 1w



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**North Church, Sunday, 7.30 P. M.**

Subject—"The Spiritual Interpretation of the Great War."  
Speaker—Dr. Thomas Chalmers of Manchester.

**WILL IMPROVE  
TRAIN SERVICE**

It is understood that under the summer schedule of passenger trains on the Boston and Maine, the Concord and Portsmouth services will be improved some in the way of avoiding the long delay at Rockingham at night. The afternoon train now leaving Concord at 3.30 will depart 25 minutes later.

**TAKEN ILL AT THE DEPOT**

A member of the marine guard at the navy yard was taken very ill in the waiting room of the Boston and

Matine depot Tuesday night and was later conveyed to the naval hospital in the police ambulance.

**SULLIVAN AND  
POPE SPEAK**

Hon. P. H. Sullivan, the Democratic candidate for congress was in this city today on his way to Boston accompanied by Frank H. Pope of Boston. They both addressed meetings at Wolfeboro and Sanbornville on Tuesday night. In Wolfeboro a moving picture show was given previous to the address of Mr. Sullivan and the crowd waited until ten o'clock to hear the speaker. The rally closed around the midnight hour.

**Let Your Boy Do It**

IT'S an easy job if he has a lawn mower that is always in order, —made to run easy and cut close. It is that kind of lawn mowers we handle.

**"W-AND-B"**

Lawn Mowers. B are self sharpening, due to easy adjustment, which will give a shear cut to the blades. They are ball bearing and are made by a corporation with 60 years experience in the manufacture of mower cutting knives.

Every machine is tested and guaranteed to be free from defective material and workmanship.

Select your mower from the "W. & B." line at our store, and have that "velvety" lawn this summer.

R. L. COSTELLO,  
Seed Store. 115 Market St.

**FIREMEN ARE  
AFTER MORE PAY**

Want Increase of \$12 Per  
Year for All Call  
Men.

The call men of the fire department are out for more pay. A meeting of the representatives of each company was held at the quarters of Engine 2 on Tuesday evening where the matter was under discussion for some time.

At the present time the call men receive \$80 a year, and the report has it that they now want an advance of \$12, making it \$92 per annum. How this matter would be handled by the city council and board of engineers is a question and several rumors are out as to what may result if the men insist on the proposed increase.

While there are people of the opinion that the call men should get more money, other citizens believe that it would come hard just now from the fact the tax rate will a year from now be much higher owing to the passage of the no license law.

It is understood that the petition, if presented, may be met by a change in the department in which more permanent men will be added to the combination engine and Engine 3, and one or two companies discontinued or reduced in numbers.

The board of engineers when called upon today had no information to give out on the matter and stated that they know nothing of any action on the part of the call men as they had not been consulted in any way relative to the object of the meeting held on Tuesday evening.

**CHILD THROWN  
FROM MACHINE**

Driver From This City Gets  
Excited and Crashes Into  
Tree at Dover.

There was an automobile accident at the junction of Leest and Kirkland streets yesterday afternoon at about 5.30 o'clock in which a young child of Mr. and Mrs. Beach of the Salvation Army was quite severely injured.

It appears that William J. Lawrence of Portsmouth came here yesterday afternoon with his three children to visit Mr. and Mrs. Beach and during the afternoon he took his children and those of Mr. and Mrs. Beach for an automobile ride. The children were in the rear of the car having a good

time, and as the automobile struck the crossing on turning into Kirkland street one of the Beach children was pitched out of the car onto the stone crossing. Frank Hughes, driver of one of E. J. York's coal teams, was within a few feet of the automobile and saw the accident. He stopped his team and ran to the scene and picked the child up. The child was in a dazed condition and did not appear to have any use of its lower limbs.

Mr. Lawrence upon hearing the children scream, lost control of the machine and ran it against a tree. He then jumped from the machine, ran back and took the child from Mr. Hughes and carried it to the home of its parents at the junction of Kirkland and Middle streets. Dr. J. H. Richard was quickly called to attend the child. He made an examination and found that the child was severely bruised and shaken up from the toss.

The automobile was wedged into the tree so that he could not back it. Mr. Lawrence went to the garage of Peter McShane and later came with his machine and dislodged the hoodoo car. One of the front springs of the auto was broken, besides otherwise being damaged. The accident was one that was unavoidable.—Dover Democrat.

**LOCAL DASHES**

No police court session today.  
Chevrolet automobiles. C. E. Woods, Bow St.

Spring and winter are still fighting some.

Boiled and live lobsters at Clark's Branch, Tel. 133.

McEnelly's Orchestra, Saturday, Freeman's Hall.

Sheehan's social dance, Thursday evening, at Moose Club hall.

Thirty-four more men are needed for the local company of the state guard.

Whist party and dance by the Little Bowers A. C. at Moose hall Wednesday evening, May 16. Tickets 25 cents.

The warm wave predicted by the weather bureau seems to have got sidetracked.

Hear Candidate for Congress Sherman E. Burroughs at the Portsmouth Theatre on Thursday evening.

The members of Storer Post, G. A. R., are busily engaged with their preparations for Memorial day.

Antique furniture restored and upholstered. Hair mattresses renovated. Margeson Bros. Tel. 570.

Cottages at York Harbor are renting well according to the real estate agents of that popular summer resort.

Lobsters and fish of all kinds, caught by our own boats, fresh every day. E. Jameson and Sons. Tel. 245.

Most of the delegates who attended the Foresters convention in this city, returned home on Wednesday morning.

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Go to Carnival of Nations at Club House, Wednesday, May 23. Entertainment at 4 and 8 p. m. Admission 10 cents.

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Now that the automobile travel has commenced, many of our citizens are wondering how much longer the cut in the asphalt on Congress street made by the employees of the New England Telephone Company last fall will be allowed to remain in its present state.

Fish of all kinds at Clark's Branch, Tel. 133.

The first band of gypsies to visit New Hampshire this year arrived in Concord Saturday, traveling to Luke, their equipment including three covered passenger automobiles. There was 25 in the party and the machines were well laden with food and camping paraphernalia.

**ATTENTION, EAGLES.**

Regular meeting of Mercedes Aerie, No. 682, P. O. E., on Wednesday evening, May 16, at 8 o'clock. Initiation, followed by social.

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**NOTICE.**

I wish to inform all my friends and former patrons that I have secured a first class horse shoe and am now prepared to serve you with the best of horse shoeing. Track shoeing a specialty. Thanking you for past favors and hoping for a continuance of the same I remain, Yours truly,  
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**CLASSY BOXING SHOW.**

Rockingham A. C., Monday evening. Young Williams vs. Young Smith for 123-lb. championship of the Navy. Young Rice, champion welterweight of the Army, vs. Battling Managan of Dover; Billy Woods of Manchester vs. Danny Danforth of Philadelphia. Mickey Brown of Malden vs. Joe Stanton of Cambridge. Show starts at 8 o'clock sharp.

**AMERICAN  
DESTROYERS IN  
BRITISH WATERS**

(By Associated Press)  
London, May 16, 3 p. m.—The Admiralty today announced the arrival of American destroyers in British waters.

**PEOPLE  
YOU KNOW**

E. P. Jones was called to Chester on Tuesday on business.

W. Ashton Horne of Somersworth was a visitor here on Tuesday.

Louis Shapiro is in Manchester attending the Hebrew convention.

Joseph E. Bridges of York Harbor was a visitor here on Tuesday.

Miss Helen Sanford of Rochester, N. Y., is the guest of friends in this city.

Mrs. Emmons Garland of Vaughan street is passing a few days in Boston.

Miss Julia Harvey left Wednesday morning for Manchester for an extended visit.

Former County Solicitor George T. Hughes of Dover was a visitor here on Wednesday.

Lewis E. Chase, the well known Rockingham hotel keeper, was a visitor here on Tuesday.

Mrs. Charles W. Brewster of Concord has been the guest of her mother, Mrs. Abbie Fredrick of this city.

Simon J. Katz of the University of Maine is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Katz of Hill street.

Albert R. Junkins was in Concord on Tuesday in attendance at the Grand Council of Royal and Select Masters.

Rev. L. H. Thayer was one of the speakers at the Congregational convention at Plymouth on Tuesday evening.

Born on May 15th, a son to Lieut. Commander and Mrs. Arthur H. Rice Jr., U. S. N., of Portsmouth and U. S. Naval Academy, Annapolis, Maryland.

Dr. Seth Jones of Franklin, collector of internal revenue, who has been in this city for the past few days returned to Franklin on Wednesday noon.

Miss Elsie L. Schurman of Dennett street has been awarded the proficiency diploma for efficient work in typewriting, according to the International contest rules. Miss Schurman is in the graduating class of the Portsmouth High School and is the youngest member of that class.

**Union St.****For Sale  
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Price, \$3500.

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**FOR SALE**

Elliot, Me.—Eight rooms, furnace heat, water, barn, henhouse; one and one-half acres land, overlooking the river. Price, \$2500.

Newington, N. H.—Small farm 15 acres; nearly new eight-room house; small barn; on the Bay road. \$1500 for quick sale.

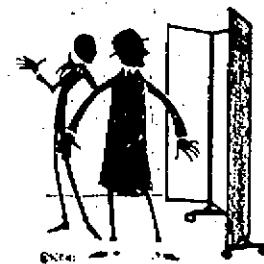
Portsmouth, Maplewood Ave.—House and barn and about 13 acres land; some fruit. This place is within 15 minutes' walk of Market square and an excellent opportunity for garden, farming and hen raising. Price on application.

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Come in any of these days and slip on one of our smart Spring overcoats in front of our triplicate mirrors, where you can get a line on yourself "coming and going." You'll see some real class in overcoats. All the fancy mixtures in Scotch and English tweeds are rain-proofed which prevents shrinking or wrinkling when they get a wetting. Beginning at \$15.00.

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Stands today in the front rank of the vast Army of Fraternities. Those who are looking for the best and surest protection yet offered THE HOME, THE CHILDREN, THE WIFE, THE MEMBER, will do well to investigate the protection which is now being offered by The Fraternal Order of Eagles.

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The Grand Worlly President of the FRATERANL ORDER OF EAGLES has granted Portsmouth Aerie, one of the oldest Aeries in the State of New Hampshire, a special dispensation which permits it to admit new members for a short period at a reduced initiation fee of FIVE DOLLARS.

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**2 1-2 CENTS A DAY**

Had you thought of this? For your dues in the Fraternal Order of Eagles, which approximate 2½ cents per day, you receive the services of the Aerie physician for yourself and family; you have its sick benefits; you have the insurance of \$100 funeral benefit; and you have the knowledge that the resources of a great and progressive organization, and the interest of its members, will see that you

**BENEFITS ASSURED BY THE FRATERANL ORDER OF EAGLES**

The Fraternal Order of Eagles must by its constitution set aside Fifty Per Cent of its income for the protection of its members who are entitled

**Mercedes Aerie, No. 682, Portsmouth**

No fines—no fees—no assessments. Any man of good moral character, 21 years old, and not over 50 years, may become a beneficiary member.

The teachings of the Order will in no way conflict with any Civil or Religious duty.

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